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Sir:

This is a request for filing a

- continuation)
 divisional) application under 37 C.F.R. 1.62,

of pending prior application Serial No. 07/986,636 filed on December 7, 1992

of inventor Patrick Casara

for Novel Process for preparing 4-amino-5-hexenoic Acid

- Transfer a copy of the prior application, including the oath or declaration as originally filed, and also any drawings to this application, and abandon the prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application.
- The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS AS FILED					
	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) BASIC FEE \$710.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	1	-20=	0	22.00	00.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1	-3=	0	74.00	00.00
MULTI-DEPENDENT CLAIM(S), Per Application				230.00	00.00
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3. [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 13-2764. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are enclosed.
4. [] Cancel in this application original claims _____ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.
(At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
5. [X] Amend the specification by inserting after Title of the Invention -Cross-Reference to Related Application-This is a [X] continuation, [] division, of application Serial No. 07/986,636, filed December 7, 1992 now abandoned
6. [] New formal drawings are enclosed.
7. [X] Attention is directed to the prosecution and the Statement(s) appearing in Applicant's prior application, serial No. 07/986,636, filed December 7, 1992, the filing date of which is relied upon above, and to any similar material in any earlier U.S. applications where Applicants are entitled to the benefit of the filing date.
8. [X] The prior application is assigned to Merrell Dow Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
9. [X] The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to Carolyn D. Moon, Registration No. 33,022; Gary D. Street, Registration No. 25,611; and Stephen L. Nesbitt, Registration No. 28,981

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- a. [X] The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
b. [] Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
c. [] Recognize as Associate Attorney , whose Registration No. is , and whose phone number is (513) 948-.
10. [X] A preliminary amendment is enclosed. (Claims added by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)

The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his/her own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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